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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of April 2011

Commission File Number 1-14966

CNOOC Limited (Translation of registrant's name into English)

65th Floor
Bank of China Tower
One Garden Road
Central, Hong Kong
(Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by chec	k mark whether th	ne registr	erant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F
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Signature

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

CNOOC Limited

By: /s/ Jiang Yongzhi Name: Jiang Yongzhi

Title: Joint Company Secretary

Dated: April 29, 2011

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release dated April 29, 2011, entitled "CNOOC Limited Filed 2010 Annual Report on Form 20-F".

Exhibit 99.1

CNOOC LIMITED

For Immediate Release

CNOOC Limited Filed 2010 Annual Report on Form 20-F

(Hong Kong, April 29, 2011) - CNOOC Limited (the "Company" or "CNOOC Ltd.", NYSE: CEO, SEHK: 00883) announced today it has filed with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") its 2010 annual report on Form 20-F ("annual report") that included audited financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2010.

The annual report is available on the Company's website at http://www.cnoocltd.com and also available on the SEC s website at http://www.sec.gov.

To request a hard copy of the annual report, including the complete audited financial statements free of charge, please contact:

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Notes to Editors:

More information about the Company is available at http://www.cnoocltd.com.

This press release includes "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the United States Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, including statements regarding expected future events, business prospectus or financial results. The words

"believe", "intend", "expect", "anticipate", "project", "estimate", "plan", "predict" and similar expressions are intended to idea forward-looking statements. These statements are based on assumptions and analyses made by us that we believe are reasonable under the circumstances. However, whether actual results and developments will meet our expectations and predictions depend on a number of risks and uncertainties which could cause our actual results, performance and financial condition to differ materially from our expectations. For a description of these and other risks and uncertainties, please see the documents we file from time to time with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission, including our 2010 Annual Report on Form 20-F filed on April 29, 2011.

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